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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re A	Application of:		
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Serial	No.:	09/934,293	Examiner: D. Ometz
Filing	Date:	August 21, 2001	Group Art Unit No.: 2653
For:	Spin Valve T Element and Manufacturin		

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 29, 2003, in the above-referenced case, Applicant elects to prosecute Invention I, drawn to a spin valve magnetic head.

As set forth on page 2 of the Office Action, the claims directed to this invention are claims 1-12.

In addition, please enter the following amendment:

## In the Claims:

Please cancel non-elected claims 13-28

Respectfully submitted,

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